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SHAFER AND GARCIA.
Since it is a good deal easier to criticize General Shaffer than to investigate the truth of the charges against him, it is perhaps natural that some of our esteemed contemporaries should be disposed to be a little unfair in their comments upon his action toward General Garcia in reference to the ceremonial incident to the surrender of Santiago. In view of the fact that the American commander positively denies the sensational reports sent out, it would seem to be the part of wisdom, at least, to wait until a more thorough investigation into the matter has been made before laying the entire blame upon his shoulders.
General Shaffer's position was a peculiar one, and while he had a large degree of provisional power at his command, he undoubtedly followed the course which he believed would best accomplish the end in view. Without detracting anything from the character of General Garcia himself, it is plainly apparent that the American commander would have pursued a risky course had he placed the Cubans in charge of Santiago. The fact that Garcia's soldiers cut off the heads of Spanish prisoners has been established beyond a reasonable doubt. No sane man would agree to turn the destinies of a city over to such a gang as that, especially at a time when they were drunk with victory.
In spite of the carping criticisms of newspaper correspondents, General Shaffer has shown that he has a secure grasp upon the situation, and it is quite likely that subsequent events will show that he was right in his dealings with Garcia.
In the death of Prince Bismarck Germany loses the statesman to whom that nation owes its greatness and power. Judged by the results of his life, it is a safe estimate of his character to say that he was the greatest German in the history of that people. His memory will be held in honor and esteem as long as the German empire lasts.
The young ladies of Wisconsin are very anxious to christen the battleship named after that state. If the committee on arrangements should decide to "divvy" up and give each one of them a syllable, it would still be several laps behind the Kentucky so far as the quantity of christening is concerned.
Now that the esteemed Mrs. Robert Fitzsimmons has given her hubby permission to enter the ring again, it will undoubtedly be safe to expect a revival of right and left "hooks" and a sprinkling of "uppercuts" in the columns of the newspapers.
It is said that Blanco, in Spanish, means white. Another illustration of the fact that "there's nothing in a name."
If one may judge by the reports coming in for the past few months, Uncle Sam has powder mills to burn.

In any event, your Uncle Sam will maintain his unbroken record of victories.

DISGUSTED FISHERMEN.
It Made the Sportsmen Ill to Watch an Old Timer Catch Trout.
One day this week a Boston party, on a fishing trip to Moosehead, came across one of the old-school fishermen. He was up off the mouth of Tombeagan stream and was fishing out of a tumblerman's baitbox. It developed later that he was the cook for a crew of river drivers. On the bank near at hand stood the cook, or his helper. The cook had thrown about a peck of table refuse into the lake in order to "bait" the fish, and over that lure he was having great luck. His pole was of the job-boom variety, and when a fish bit he would derrick it over his head into the bushes where the cook was stationed.
The Boston men from their canoes watched operations with all the disgust of the true sportsmen.
"Got enough for supper yet?" shouted the fisherman over his shoulder as he sent another great trout clumping into the bushes.
"No; better catch six or eight more," shrieked back the cook.
"Say, how many fish do you two fellows usually eat for supper?" shouted a Boston man, who didn't understand the situation.
"When you've cooked for twenty-two river-drivers as long as I have," yelled the cook, derricking another fish, "you'll know more about empty mail bags."
Hardly was this enigmatic utterance out when there came a tug at his line that was nothing short of tremendous. He twitched. The fish didn't come. He braced; set his jaws and pried. His line only sawed the hissing water.
"Play him! Play him!" screamed the excited sportsmen from the city.
"Play your grandmother," bellowed back the cook. "I ain't here to play. I'm here to fish." And as he spoke he hoisted over his head a fifteen-pound laker. Any man in the Boston crowd would have given \$10 to have played him an hour at the end of an eight-ounce rod. "Twas too much for their nerves. They came away."
An Appeal.
Blanco called that he was running short of food and asked that supplies be sent at once.
Come send me a sandwich that is made out of meat;
I am tired of living on hay;
I have not had the pleasure to shake hands or greet
A square meal for many a day.
I have killed all the mules that I've found about here,
And I've had them all cooked into stew;
But alas this is gone and I'm seized with a fever
For I really don't know what to do.
My men they are trying the soles of their shoes;
Their suspenders were gone long ago;
But the thought of this diet gives each one the blues,
And causes their tearlets to flow.
So send us a sandwich, and send it blamed quick—
(Starving to death is no fun)—
Or when the Yanks come we will all be so sick
That none will be able to run.

NOTICE.
The examinations of white teachers will be held Aug. 24 and 25, and of colored teachers on Aug. 14th and 15th. Examinations will be held in the High School rooms on the third floor of the Post National Bank building, beginning at 9 o'clock each day. Subjects for the first day: Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography. Subjects for the second day: History, Physiology and Hygiene, Theory and Practice of Teaching, Spelling, dictated on the threefold dictation method, one to three hours on each subject.
In connection with the uniform examinations, examinations for scholarships in the State Normal School will also be held August 24th and 25th.
THOS. TEMPLE FOWELL,
Supt. of Schools,
Aug. 2-18.
SANITARY DEPARTMENT.
Newport News, Va., July 22, 1918.
Mr. M. D. Burcher.
Sir: You are respectfully notified that a nuisance exists on the premises, occupied by you, viz: Stagnant water on lot; needs filling in. You are requested to abate the nuisance within ten days.
Very respectfully,
R. H. HARRIS,
Sanitary Inspector.
Sam'l W. Hobson, M. D., Health Officer.
Jul-22-1918.
Wanted--Boarders,
BY MRS. M. E. DOSWELL,
No. 105 27th Street.
First class table and pleasant rooms. Terms reasonable.
July 3-6m.

Shake Into Your Shoes
Allen's Foot-Paste, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, nervous feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Paste makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. First package FREE. Address Allen's Foot-Paste, Le Roy, N. Y.
OUR GREAT CLEARINGSALE
Will continue until every piece of summer goods is off of our shelves and counters, no matter what the cost. Our idea is to dispose of them, as we do not intend to carry a piece over.
MILLINERY.
We have a full assortment of Un-trimmed Hats, in all colors, that sold all the way from 75c to \$1.48; now 19c. White and Black Satin Straw Hats in frames that sold for \$2.25 to \$3.00; now 95c.
Black Straw Hats on frames that sold for 75c and 95c; now 39c.
Ladies' Black Trimmed Sailors that sold for 50c; now 23c.
Ladies' White Trimmed Sailors that sold for 49c; now 23c.
White Milland Sailors that sold for \$2.00; now 98c.
White Rough Straw, narrow brim, sailors, that sold for 75c; now 50c.
White Rough Straw, broad brim sailors, that sold for 98c; now 50c.
All Black and Blue Sailors, that sold for 98c to \$1.28; now 69c.
All Hair and Stripe Ribbons that sold from 25c to 50c; now 12c.
All Colors of Moire Ribbon that sold for 25c and 30c; now 17c.
All colors of Flowers, worth 25c and 35c a bunch; now 9c.
All colors of Chiffon Ribbon, worth 25c a yard; now 9c.
DRY GOODS.
White Ribbons, that always sold for 10c a yard; now 5 1/2-20 a yard.
Androsgrain Cotton; now 5 1/2-14 a yard.
Forrest Mills Cotton; now 5c a yard.
Bleached Cotton, yard wide; now 4 1/2-20 a yard.
Unbleached Cotton, yard wide; now 4 1/2-20 a yard.
10-4 Unbleached Sheeting, worth 18c; now 11 1/2-20 a yard.
10-4 Bleached Sheeting, worth 18c; now 12 1/2-20 a yard.
Turkish Towels, extra large size, worth 30c; now 30c.
Extra large size Cotton Hosiery Towels, worth 10c; now 5c.
Dress Gingham worth 8c a yard; now 4 1/2-14 a yard.
Dress Gingham worth 12 1/2-20 a yard; now 7 1/2-20 a yard.
All fancy print Calicoes worth 8c; now 4c a yard.
Light Calicoes; now 2 1/2-20 a yard.
Yard wide Percales worth 10c; now 5 1/2-14 a yard.
Yard wide Navy and White and Black and White Percales, worth 10c; now 7 1/2-20.
All of our 12 1/2-20 Figured Lawns; now 5 1/2-14 a yard.
All of our 12 1/2-20 Chevrons or Figured Duck now for 9 1/2-20 a yard.
Remnants of all colors of Dressmakers' Cambric 3 a yard.
10c Figured Black Dress Goods now 12 1/2-20 a yard.
18c Black Lace Stripe Organdies now 11 1/2-20 a yard.
Capital Dry Goods House
2610 Washington Ave.

Is the War Over?
Well we hope it is, but we know that summer and hot weather will be with us for some time to come and if you have not already availed yourself of the chance to get a good Detroit Jewel Gas Range you have missed one of your best friends and more, you have missed the comfort that can only be had from the use of gas fuel, which brings delight and happiness wherever it is in use. Talk is cheap you may say and a gas man must "gas," and who can blame him. He knows a good thing—he wants to push it along, and he is willing that his friends should share in the procession. Generous soul that he is, he gives his advice free. It is no trouble to sing the praises of gas for fuel and as for light, its beauty shines so he who runs may be impressed. Gas for fuel at \$1.00 is the cheapest fuel if it is economically used. Are you economical? You are prudent and wise. Therefore get a gas range. We will tell you something next week about heating that will surprise you. Call No. 34 on either phone if you can not call. But come if you can.
Newport News Gas Company,
JAMES NEWMAN'S M.
If you have furniture of any kind to buy or sell call at
AUCTION HOUSE,
3107 Washington ave.
M. H. TUCK.
The Veterinary Horse Shoer
If your horse strike, click of foot, Tuck, the shoer, will stop it. First-class shoeing. I am here to stay. Shop at Twenty-second street, and Warwick avenue, Phillips & Benson's old coal yard.
Jy2-3m.
Madam Amee,
The celebrated Spiritual, Trance and Business Medium, is now located in Newport News. Reads life's past, present and future with absolute correctness. Gives valuable advice in business and harmony to the family circle. Every one in trouble should call on her, 325 Twenty-fourth street, opposite Warwick Iron Works.
Notice
Is hereby given that on July 26 the grocers and butchers of the city formally organized the Newport News Retail Protective Association with the following officers: G. W. Burcher, president; W. B. Boyce, vice-president; James Mahoney, treasurer; T. Edward Willey, secretary.

Garner's New Clothing Store
2714 Washington Avenue.
How We Are Winning Trade
By giving the best all round values to be found in the town. Not cheap goods, but goods cheap; cheaper, in fact, than some you are paying for inferior qualities. Try us and you will find, as others have found, that it pays to trade with
GARNER
The crowd of buyers at our store every day since our opening testifies to our correct and Progressive Methods of doing business. We always did, and always will do it "On the Square." We publish our prices that the people may know how cheap we are willing to sell our goods. As particularly good things we specify the following prices:
MEN'S CLOTHING.
Men's all wool suits \$4 90
Stylish English plaid suits 5 50
Imported cheviot suits 7 50
Imported botany clay worsted suits, in sack or frock 8 90
Men's crash suits 1 75
Men's white duck and crash pants 75
Striped office coats 25
Cuban cloth coats, very light weight 50
Men's good working pants 58
Better grade 69
Harris's cassimer pants 1 75
Children's blue flannel suits 1 48
Children's knee pants from 10c up.
FURNISHINGS.
Pepperell jeans drawers 23
Pioneer suspenders 19
Men's laundered percale shirts 98
Fine puff bosom shirts 98
\$1.00 Madras shirts 58
Balbriggan underwear 23
French Balbriggan, 50c quality 39
New and nobby silk neckwear 28
15c quality half hose, black and tan 9
Japonette handkerchiefs 10
Men's silk garters 15
STRICTLY ONE PRICE, AND THAT THE LOWEST IS THE MOTTO AT
Garner's Reliable Clothing House,
2714 Washington Avenue

Read Every Item
In this advertisement and take advantage of the offerings made therein. You will thank us for the timely opportunity of saving many hard-earned dollars for high grade goods.
Men's and Boys' Suits that Were
\$5.00 now \$3.99
6.00 now 4.88
7.50 now 5.98
8.50 now 6.88
10.00 now 7.98
12.50 now 9.98
15.00 now 11.98
18.00 now 14.98
Children's two-piece suits that were \$6.00 now \$4.88
5.00 now 3.98
4.50 now 3.58
4.00 now 3.18
3.50 now 2.78
3.00 now 2.38
2.50 now 1.98
175 Pairs Men's
Tan and Patent Leather Bala, former price \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, choice now \$2.48.
125 Pairs Ladies'
High Grade Oxfords that were actually sold for \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, to close for \$1.23.
Sizes mostly 3, 3 1/2, 4 and 4 1/2.
About 500 Pairs
of Infants' and Children's Button Shoes in Black and Tan, all clean stock. We offer them at one-third off regular price.
Don't miss these strong offerings. Never again will you have the equal chance to put dollars in your own pocket.
The Reliable Clothier, Shoer and Hatter.
NEW NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
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W. R. SCULL, Manager.
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Freight, Baggage, Safes and luggage carefully and promptly moved. All kinds of hauling done at low rates.
PHONE 2532. BOX 141.
MADE ME A MAN
AJAX TABLETS POSITIVELY CURE ALL Nervous Disorders—Failing Memory, Headaches, Sleeplessness, etc., caused by Anxiety or other Excesses and Indiscretions. They quickly and surely restore Lost Vitality in old or young men. Beware of cheaply made, inferior imitations. Their no sleepers immediately improve memory and induce a REMEDY sleep all other fail. In that upon having the genuine Ajax Tablets. They have cured thousands and thousands. We give positive written guarantee to each purchaser. Price 50c per box (full treatment for \$2.00). In each box, 10 tablets. Money refunded if not cured. Write for free literature to J. B. REMEDY CO., Chicago, Ill. For sale in Newport News, Va., by A. E. G. KIOR, Druggist, apr 19-17.
DR. F. D. WILLIS,
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Office hours: 8:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M., 2:30 to 5:00 P. M., 7:00 to 8:00 P. M. Sundays, 9:00 to 11:00 A. M. Room 5, first floor, First National Bank, 28th street and Washington avenue.
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RICHMOND.
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER, REPAIR WORK A SPECIALTY.
2809 Washington avenue.

\$2.19
For choice of our \$3, \$3.50 or \$4 Men's hand welted, tan vici and Russia calf summer shoes.
About 200 pairs of these shoes remain. They were selected from our regular stock. You'll find any style toes, also silk vesting tops, and color you wish. There is a positive loss on these goods to us, but we want to close them out. Come while you have this immense assortment to select from.
\$1.19
For choice of our \$1.50 or \$2 Ladies' tan and black vici kid oxfords.
You will also find in this lot a great variety of styles, also silk vesting tops and genuine calf patent leather.
Our entire Summer stock we are disposing of at a great sacrifice, so we advise you to CALL EARLY.
H. SOMMERS,
Up-to-date Shoe, Hat and Gent's Furnishing store
2906 Washington Ave., Newport News

Dr. R. Lee Robinson
DENTIST,
Washington avenue and Twenty-eighth street, over Ideal Pharmacy.
Office Hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
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VITALIZED AIR FOR PAINLESS EXTRACTING.
GOOD SET.5 DOLLARS
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PARTIAL SETS.IN PROPORTION
No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered.
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Bridge work and crowns, 20 karat gold, \$5 per tooth. ALL WORK GUARANTEED.
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Electric Lights;
Sole and Concession
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No Odor,
No Matches.
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